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**COMMISSIONER ANNOUNCES RESIGNATION FROM
NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Public Utilities Commissioner Susan S. Geiger announced today that she is resigning in July from the position she has held for the past ten years. In the letter of resignation she submitted to the Governor and Executive Council, Commissioner Geiger stated that she has been honored and privileged to have served at the PUC, the Attorney General's Office and the Department of Health and Human Services for a combined state government career that spans over 22 years. Commissioner Geiger also stated "(a)lthough I deeply cherish the 22 years that I have spent working in the public sector, the time has come for me to move on." Commissioner Geiger was first appointed to the PUC by Governor Stephen Merrill in 1993 and reappointed by Governor Jeanne Shaheen in 2001. She is resigning a year prior to the expiration of her term of appointment.

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